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**Patent Application**

Inventor M. L. Obradovich

Case 2

Serial No. 08/904,855

Examiner C. Nguyen

Filing Date August 1, 1997

Group Art Unit 2773

Title Centralized Control and Management  
System for Automobiles

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Alex L. Yip  
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34,759  
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*Alex Yip*  
Signature

January 25, 2000  
Date of Signature

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is a Response to Office Action, and a check in the amount of \$ 55.00 to cover the fee as calculated below.

1. (X) Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

2.	Claims					
	remaining	Highest				
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	Dependent Claim					
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\* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

\*\* If the "Highest No. prev. paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

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3.(a)(X) An Extension of Time to respond to the PTO communication dated September 28, 1999 is hereby requested. A check covering the required fee, indicated below, is enclosed:

Extension for response (check only one):

Within first month	( X )	\$ 55
Within second month	( )	190
Within third month	( )	435
Within fourth month	( )	680

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

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- ( ) An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$\_\_\_\_\_

or

- (b) ( ) In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Respectfully,



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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 28, 1999, the applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application.